

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE:

In the Specification (bracketed parts deleted and underline parts added):

In the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 25:

The general purpose of the present invention, which will be described subsequently in greater detail, is to provide a new illuminated bicycle frame apparatus [apparatus] and method which has many of the advantages of the bicycle illumination devices mentioned heretofore and many novel features that result in a new illuminated bicycle frame apparatus which is not anticipated, rendered obvious, suggested, or even implied by any of the prior art bicycle illumination devices, either alone or in any combination thereof.

In the Claims (bracketed parts deleted and underline parts added):

1. (Amended) An illuminated bicycle frame apparatus, said apparatus comprising:

a bike frame [, said bike frame being] comprising a plurality of tubes having generally hollow interiors, said tubes each having a perimeter wall with an interior surface, the perimeter walls of said tubes of said bike frame being generally translucent;

an illumination system [, said illumination system] comprising;

a plurality of [lights] light emitting members mounted in said frame [;] and each comprising a fiber optic cable;

[a power source for powering said plurality of lights, said power source being operationally coupled to each of said plurality of lights, said power source being a plurality of solar panels mounted on said bike frame]